

Wall must fall

To The Editor:

Your article "A Wall Grows In Sq. Hill" is my reason for writing. In my view, such a "wall" is a gross disservice to the Jewish community and all Jews everywhere. We Jews have been isolated in ghettos for centuries!

Why must we now, of our own accord, place ourselves behind walls? How many centuries are we retreating? With anti-Semitism so rampant, why emphasize the difference?

If you argue that it is an "imaginary" wall—tell that to the few Jews who are attempting to promote one for the Sq. Hill area! Let them "imagine" that the section has been enclosed, permitting them to "carry" whatever they want!

Surely they can "take walks" on Shabbos with their families without being in an "eruv;" if it is for the carrying of books so that they can "study" on Shabbos, take the book to the "other house" on Friday!

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